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Mr. Gene Welsh, Chief Water Protection Branch Environmental Protection Division GA Dept. of Natural Resources 270 Washington Street, S.W. Atlanta, GA 30334

Dear Mr. Welsh:

The following concentrations of PCBs were found in the Rome, Georgia Wastewater Treatment Plant during the February 1976 organic study:

Influent: 189 µg/1 Effluent: 357 µg/1

The average flow was 12 mgd during the 48-hour compositing period.

A first draft of the Coosa River "Organic Characterization Study - Part 2" has recently been completed, and the final product should be finalized in approximately 30 days. We will send the final report to you as soon as completed.

Very truly yours,

James H. Finger

Director

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